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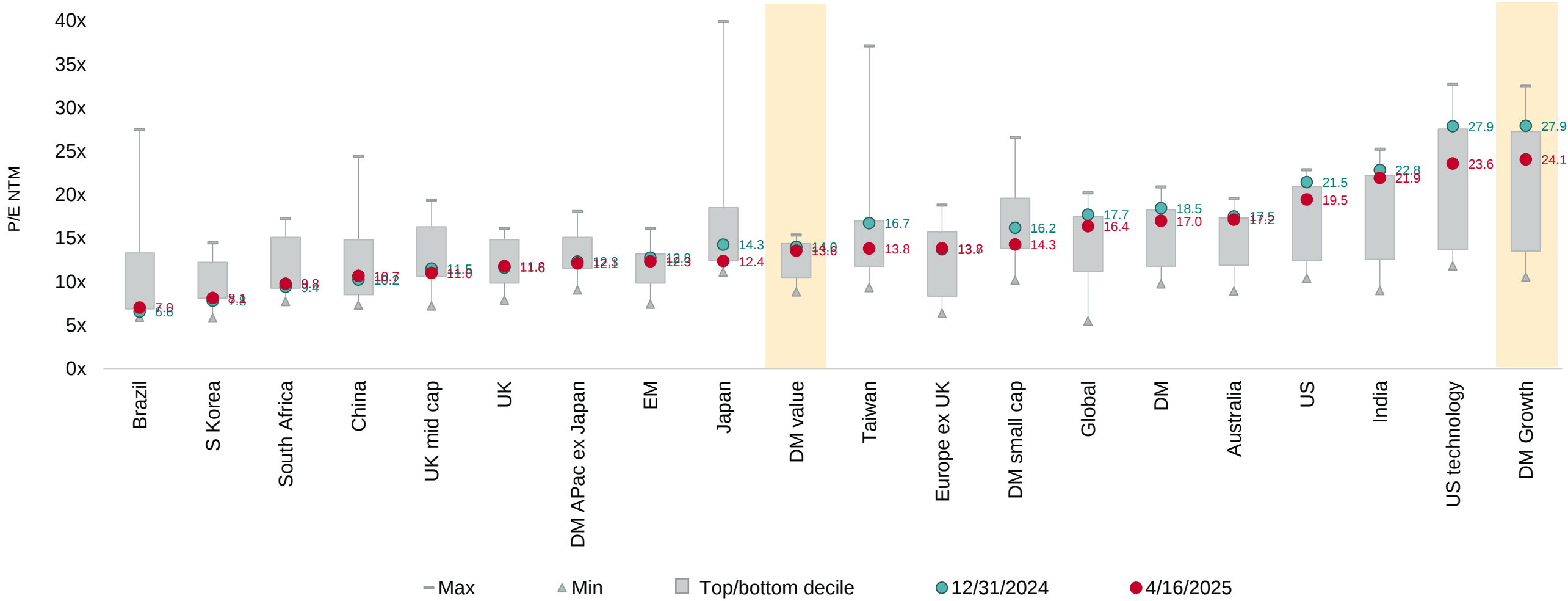
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“Value still in play”

Valuation wedge across markets: still wide after 2025 de-rating

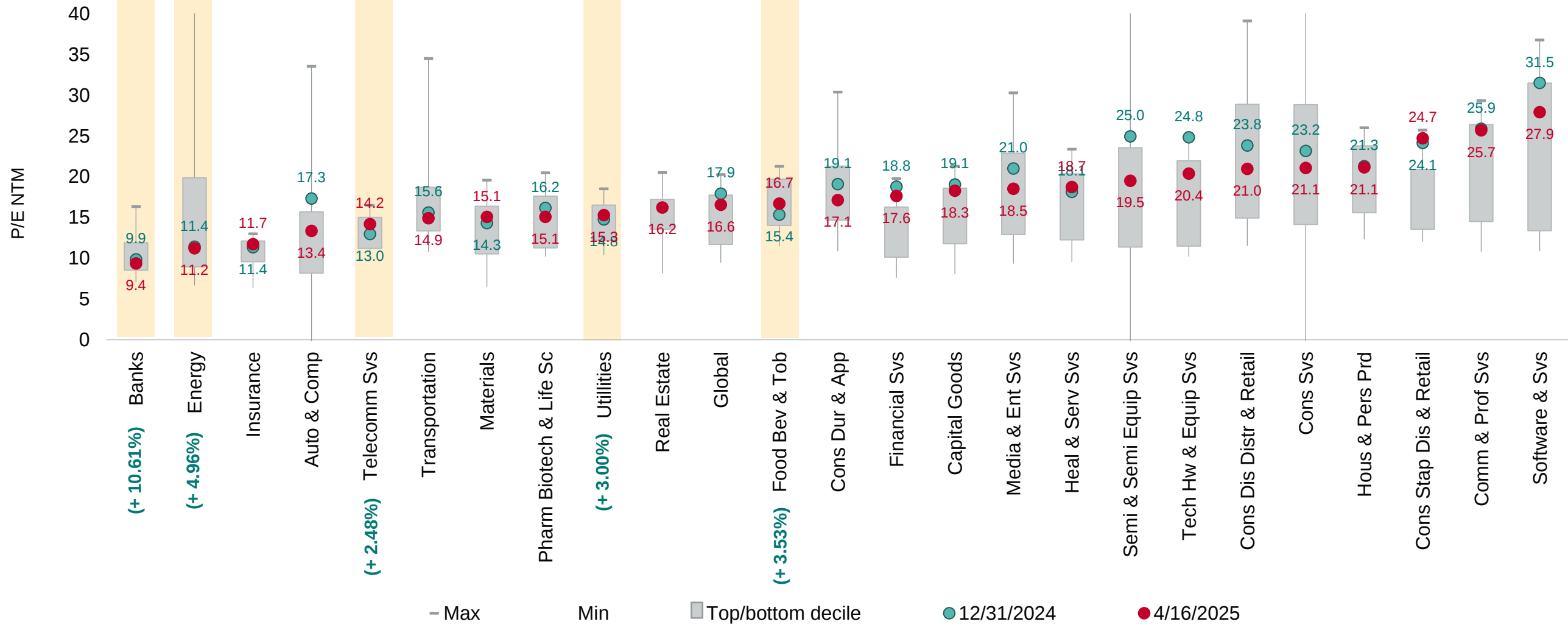
Price to earnings ratio 12-month forward of major equity market exposures



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Source: FactSet, Vanguard. Data from 31 December 2004 to 16 April 2025. Data is based on the longest available history. Note 'P/E NTM' refers to the multiple of forecast earnings for the next twelve months that stock investors are willing to pay for one share of the firm. See Appendix for indices used.

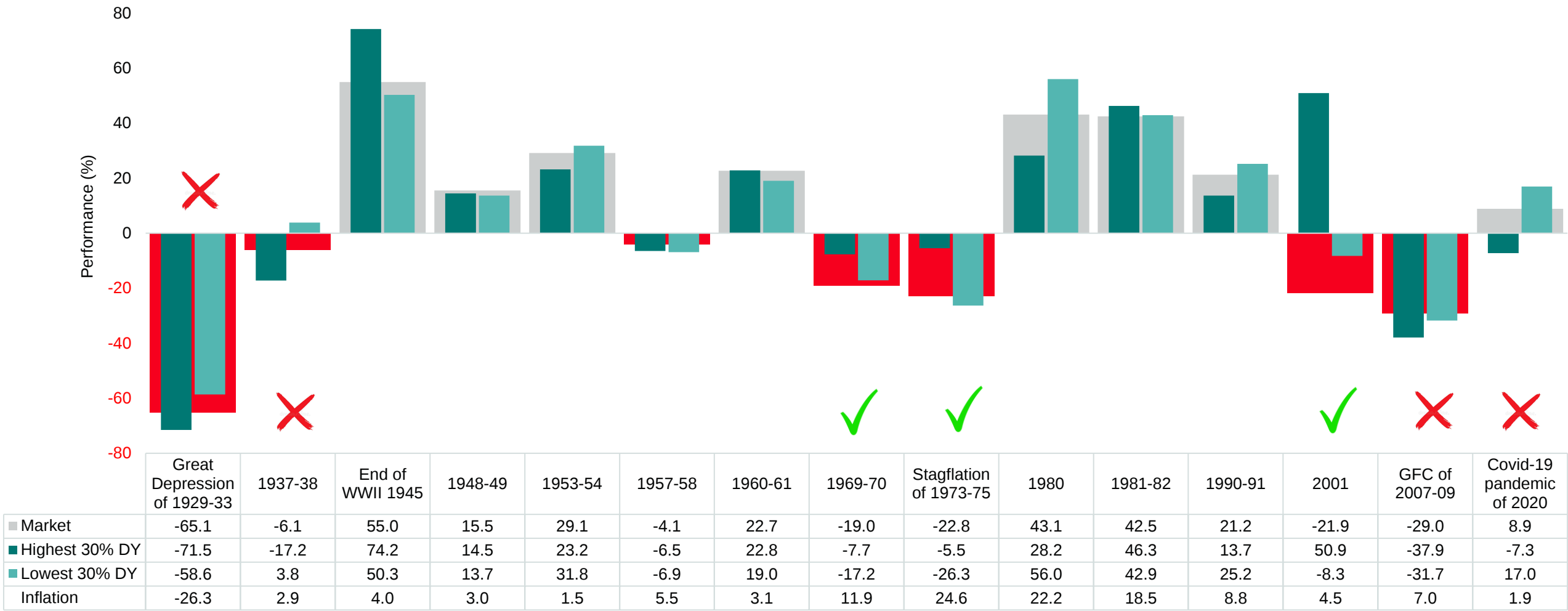
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“Shock-absorbing” properties of dividend stocks in recessions that tend to accompany high inflation

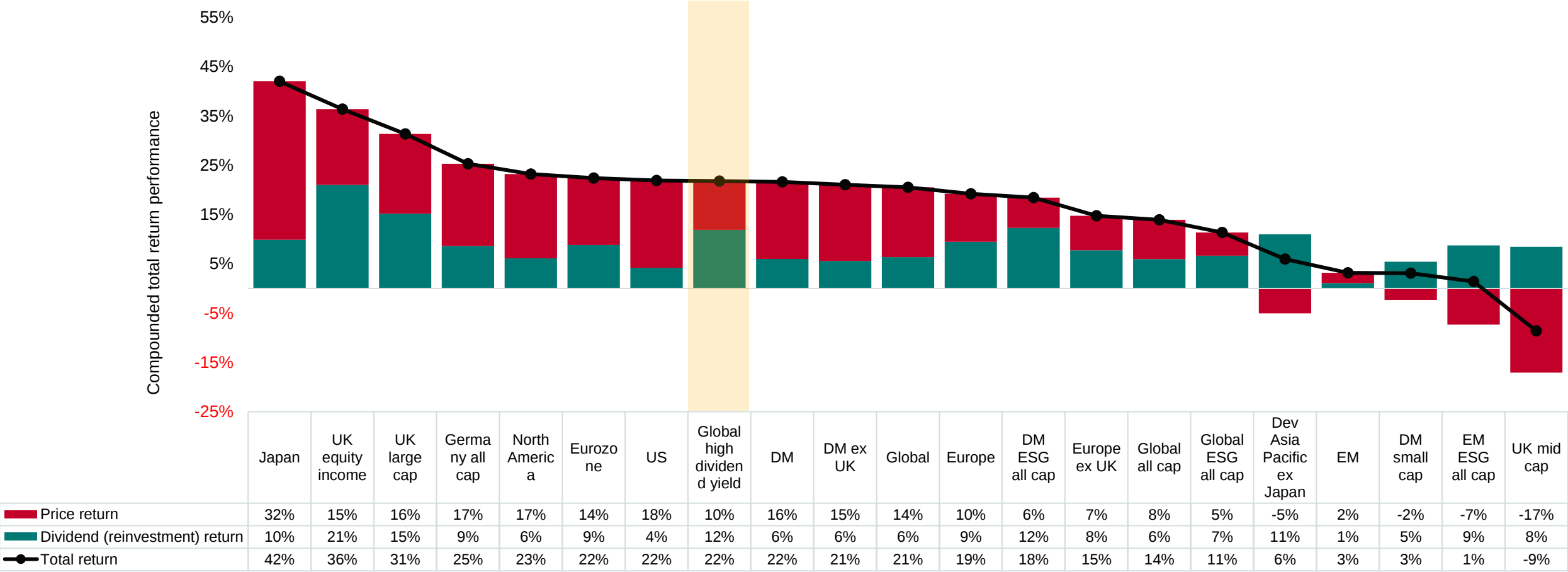
Performance of US dividend yielders vs the market 12 months ahead of and throughout recessions



Implementation:
“value without value traps”

“Finding value with global high dividend yield”: a sweet spot within Vanguard’s UCITS equity range?

Dividend and price contribution to net total return of select equity market exposures since 2021

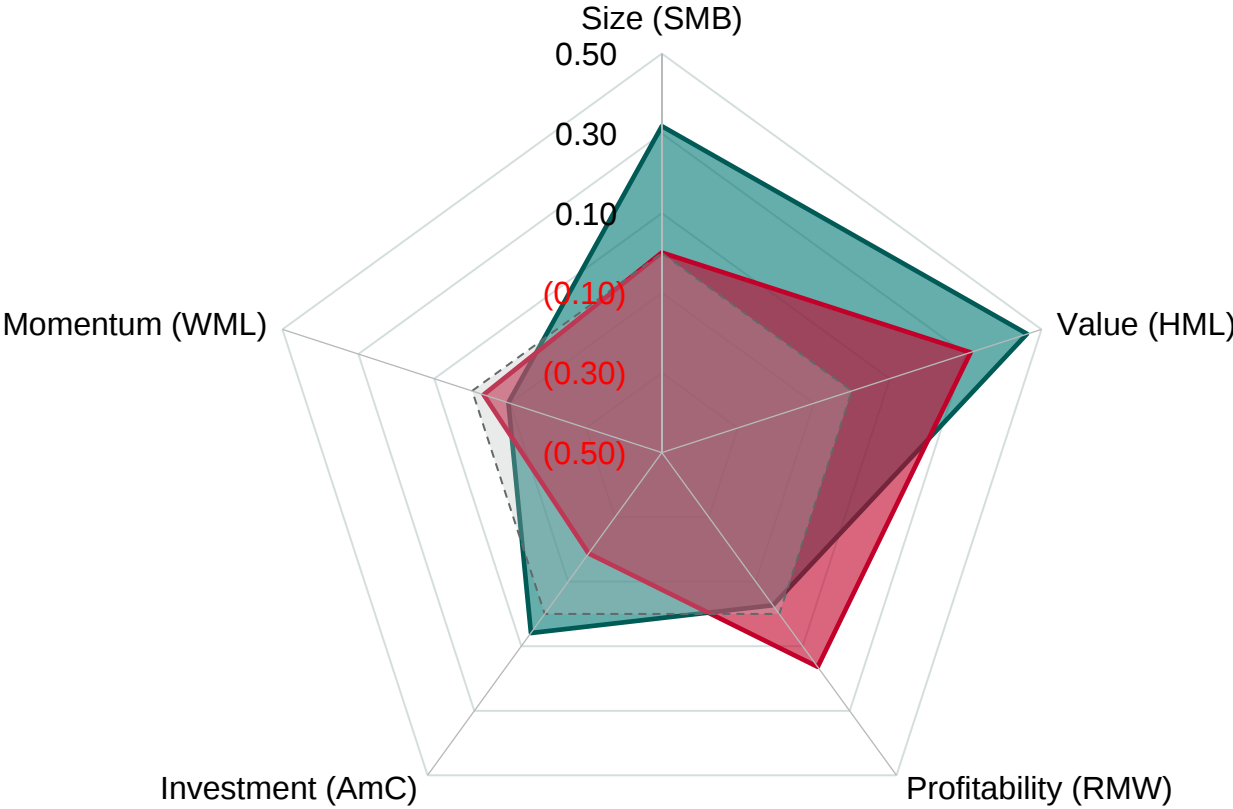


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Source: FactSet. Data from 31 December 2021 to 31 March 2025. Indices used: US = S&P 500 Index, North America = FTSE All-World North America Index in USD, Europe = FTSE All-World Developed Europe Index in EUR, Europe ex UK = FTSE All-World Developed Europe x UK Index in EUR, Eurozone = MSCI EMU Index, UK large cap = FTSE 100 Index, UK mid cap = FTSE 250 Index, UK equity income = FTSE Custom UK Equity Income Index, Global = FTSE All-World Index in USD, Global high dividend yield = FTSE All-World High Dividend Yield Index in USD, DM = FTSE All-World Developed Index in USD, EM = FTSE All-World Emerging Index in USD, Dev Asia Pacific ex Japan = FTSE All-World Developed Asia Pacific x JP Index in USD, Japan = FTSE Japan Index, DM ex UK = FTSE Developed ex UK Index in USD, DM small cap = MSCI World Index Small Cap Index in USD, Global all cap = FTSE Global All Cap Index in USD, Global ESG all cap = FTSE Global All Cap Choice Index in USD, DM ESG all cap = FTSE Developed All Cap Choice Index in USD, EM ESG all cap = FTSE Emerging All Cap Choice Index in USD. Performance is based on net total returns in local currency unless indicated otherwise



Going broad on dividends loads to value, mitigates value traps

Factor loadings (beta coefficients)



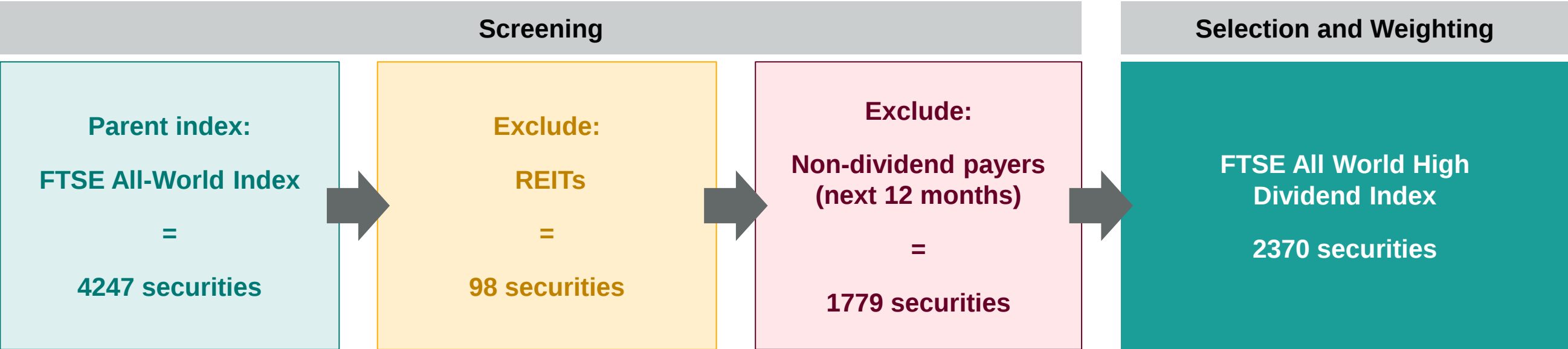
■ MSCI World Enhanced Value ■ FTSE All-World High Dividend Yield ▤ Factor loading less than 0

Beta coefficients' t-values

	FTSE All-World High Dividend Yield	MSCI World Enhanced Value
Size (SMB)	0.05	7.58
Value (HML)	10.98	10.70
Profitability (RMW)	5.03	-0.54
Investment (AmC)	-4.91	1.02
Momentum (WML)	-2.19	-4.60

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Source: Bloomberg, Fama & French Data Library, Vanguard. Data from 31 October 2000 to 31 December 2024, using monthly data and the longest joint data history available for the indices used. Factor loadings of FTSE All-World High Dividend Yield and MSCI World Enhanced Value are based on regressions of their excess returns over parent indices (FTSE All-World and MSCI World, resp.) on excess returns of Fama and French developed markets factor portfolios. Beta coefficients' t-values: red=statistically insignificant, green=statistically significant at a 95% confidence interval. Please go to Fama & French Data Library (<http://mba.tuck.dartmouth.edu/pages/faculty/ken.french/index.html>) for more information about Fama & French factor definitions and calculation methodology. Note: Investment (AmC) is the inverse interpretation of Fama & French's investment factor (Conservative minus Aggressive, or CmA). Indices are in total return in USD.

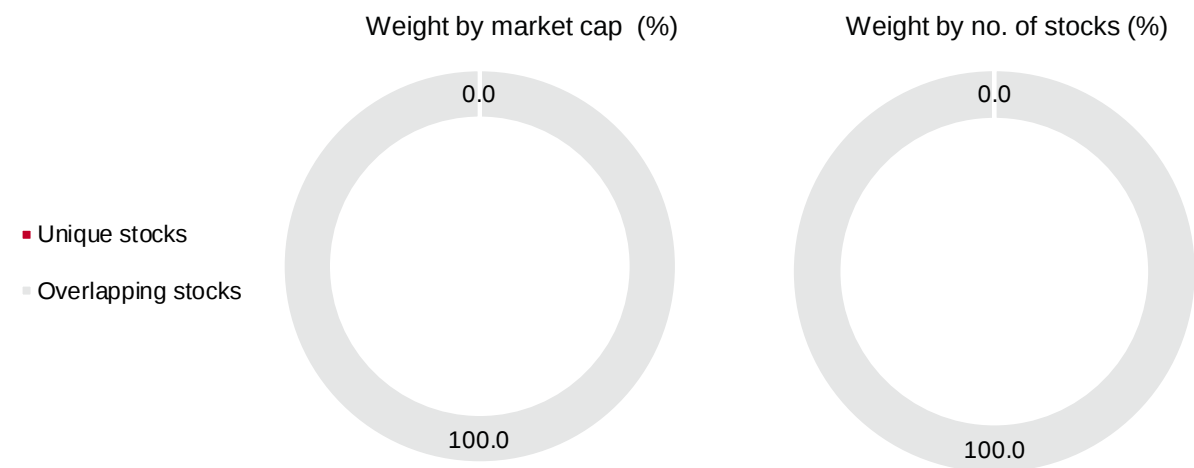
Methodology in a nutshell: FTSE All-World High Dividend Index



- 1. **Selection:** the highest 12-month forward dividend yielding stocks capturing 50% of free-float market cap
- 2. **Weighting:** free-float market cap
- 3. **Rebalancing:** bi-annually in March and September

Overview

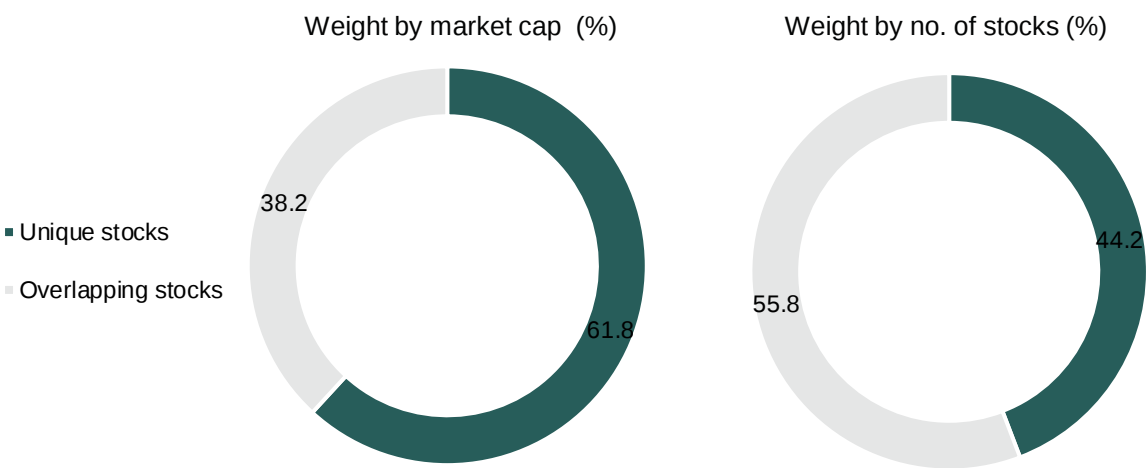
FTSE All-World High Dividend Yield



	Market cap (USD bn)	No. of stocks
Total	29,846	2,370
Overlapping stocks	29,846	2,370
Unique stocks	0	0

Top 10 holdings	Country	ICB Industry	GICS Sector	Market cap (USD bn)	Weight in index (%)
JPMorgan Chase & Co.	United States	FN	FN	673	2.25
Exxon Mobil Corporation	United States	EN	EN	482	1.62
Procter & Gamble Company	United States	CS	CS	395	1.32
Home Depot, Inc.	United States	CD	CD	385	1.29
Johnson & Johnson	United States	HC	HC	348	1.17
AbbVie, Inc.	United States	HC	HC	314	1.05
Bank of America Corp	United States	FN	FN	292	0.98
Merck & Co., Inc.	United States	HC	HC	252	0.84
Chevron Corporation	United States	EN	EN	249	0.83
Coca-Cola Company	United States	CS	CS	241	0.81
Total				3,631	12.16

FTSE All-World



	Market cap (USD bn)	No. of stocks
Total	78,185	4,247
Overlapping stocks	29,846	2,370
Unique stocks	48,339	1,877

Top 10 holdings	Country	ICB Industry	GICS Sector	Market cap (USD bn)	Weight in index (%)
Apple Inc.	United States	TE	IT	3,579	4.58
NVIDIA Corporation	United States	TE	IT	3,138	4.01
Microsoft Corporation	United States	TE	IT	3,130	4.00
Amazon.com, Inc.	United States	CD	CD	2,056	2.63
Meta Platforms Inc Class A	United States	TE	CM	1,281	1.64
Tesla, Inc.	United States	CD	CD	1,121	1.43
Alphabet Inc. Class A	United States	TE	CM	1,111	1.42
Broadcom Inc.	United States	TE	IT	1,053	1.35
Alphabet Inc. Class C	United States	TE	CM	923	1.18
Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	Taiwan	TE	IT	787	1.01
Total				18,179	23.25

Source: FactSet. Data as of 31 December 2024.

Note: market cap is float adjusted and based on the index provider's proprietary calculation methodology which between indices may result in different market caps for the same security. Unique stocks refer to securities held in one index and not in the other and may include securities differentiated by primary listing and not by the underlying issuer. Overlapping stocks refer to securities held in both indices. See the Appendix abbreviations of ICB Industry and GICS Sector names.

Over/underweights relative to the parent: country by sector (DM)

FTSE All-World High Dividend Yield net of FTSE All-World
Net weight (%)

	Financials	Consumer Staples	Energy	Utilities	Telecommunications	Basic Materials	Health Care	Industrials	Real Estate	Consumer Discretionary	Technology	Total
United Kingdom	0.90	0.86	0.56	0.22	0.06	0.33	0.54	0.19	-0.04	0.41	0.02	4.06
Japan	1.31	0.02	0.07	0.06	0.16	0.38	-0.08	0.39	-0.02	0.91	0.01	3.20
Switzerland	0.64	0.42		0.01	0.03	-0.03	0.65	0.42	0.03	0.19	-0.01	2.35
Australia	1.02	0.10	0.13	0.04	0.02	0.42	-0.10	0.14	-0.12	0.11	-0.03	1.74
Canada	1.08	-0.05	0.64	0.01	0.03	0.10		0.03		-0.02	-0.27	1.53
Germany	0.62	-0.02	-0.04	0.10	0.21	0.09	-0.04	0.51	0.06	0.20	-0.42	1.26
France	0.37	0.15	0.23	0.09	0.04	-0.11	0.10	-0.03	-0.03	0.33	-0.09	1.06
Spain	0.34		0.03	0.21	0.01		-0.01	0.06	-0.01	0.11	0.06	0.82
Italy	0.44	0.00	0.10	0.16	0.00		0.00	-0.04		0.02	0.00	0.67
Hong Kong	0.30	0.03	0.00	0.08	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.12	0.07	0.02	0.02	0.65
Korea	0.17	0.01	0.01	-0.01	0.41	0.03	-0.07	-0.05		0.10	-0.14	0.47
Sweden	0.22	0.03			0.07	0.06	0.00	0.04	-0.02	0.05	-0.03	0.42
Singapore	0.31	0.02		0.02	0.04			0.01	-0.02	0.02	0.01	0.40
Finland	0.12	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.06	0.04	0.01	0.07				0.33
Norway	0.05	0.04	0.06		0.01	0.02		0.02			-0.01	0.19
Austria	0.04		0.01	0.01	0.00	0.00		0.01				0.08
Israel	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	-0.01	0.01	-0.03	-0.01	0.01	0.00	-0.02	0.08
Poland	0.06	-0.01	-0.01			0.00				0.01		0.04
Portugal		0.01	0.01	0.02								0.04
Ireland	0.04	-0.01						-0.01				0.01
New Zealand		0.00		0.01	0.01		-0.01	0.00		0.00		0.01
Belgium	0.06	-0.06		0.00		0.01	-0.08	0.01	0.00	0.01		-0.06
Netherlands	0.15	0.16			0.03	0.04	-0.03	-0.04	0.00	-0.01	-0.43	-0.13
Denmark	0.05	0.02	-0.02	-0.01			-0.37	-0.03		0.03		-0.32
United States	2.78	3.43	2.68	1.68	1.08	-0.05	-0.91	-2.75	-1.40	-6.48	-21.77	-21.70
Total	11.19	5.15	4.48	2.70	2.28	1.33	-0.42	-0.94	-1.48	-3.99	-23.08	-2.80



Product comparison report

Vanguard FTSE All-World High Dividend Yield UCITS ETF

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Exposure analysis - fund

Performance comparison

		Vanguard FTSE All-World High Dividend Yield UCITS ETF	Xtrackers STOXX Global Select Dividend 100 Swap UCITS ETF	SPDR S&P Global Dividend Aristocrats UCITS ETF
Fund description				
Ticker		VHYD LN Equity	XGDD LN Equity	GLDV LN Equity
Identifier		IE00B8GKDB10	LU0292096186	IE00B9CQXS71
Country of domicile		IE	LU	IE
Trading currency		USD	USD	USD
Securities lending		Y	N	Y
Replication strategy		Optimized	Derivative	Optimized
TER / OCF ¹		0.29%	0.50%	0.45%
# Securities		2,150	Swap-based	120
Fund AUM (millions)		6,608	663	1,190
Net performance				
1 year	Return	9.72%	14.00%	11.74%
	Tracking difference	0.14%	0.19%	0.27%
3 years	Annualised return	6.82%	4.56%	2.86%
	Tracking difference	0.09%	0.27%	0.09%
Since inception*	Annualised return	6.37%	5.60%	4.92%
	Tracking difference	0.05%	-0.09%	-0.43%
Gross performance				
1 year	Return	10.01%	14.50%	12.19%
	Tracking difference	0.43%	0.69%	0.72%
3 years	Annualised return	7.11%	5.06%	3.31%
	Tracking difference	0.38%	0.77%	0.54%
Since inception*	Annualised return	6.66%	6.10%	5.37%
	Tracking difference	0.34%	0.41%	0.02%

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Source: Bloomberg. Data from 22 May 2013 to 31 March 2025. *Inception based on oldest available date of Vanguard FTSE All-World High Dividend Yield UCITS ETF. Returns are calculated on a NAV to NAV basis.

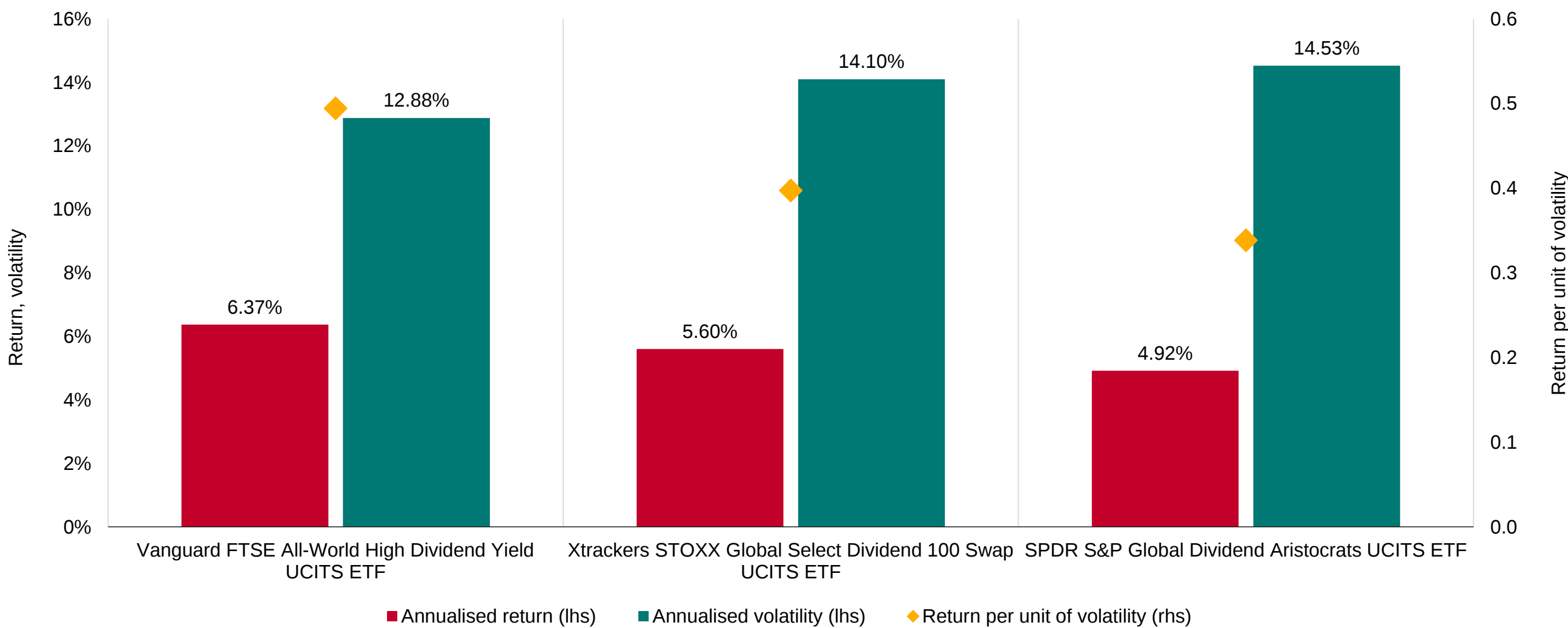
Returns are calculated in USD net of fees, gross of tax, with income reinvested. Tracking calculated as the difference between the product and its benchmark annualised return figures.

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Performance comparison

Annualised return and volatility



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Performance comparison

		Vanguard FTSE All-World High Dividend Yield UCITS ETF	WisdomTree Global Quality Dividend Growth UCITS ETF (Dis)
Fund description			
Ticker		VHYD LN Equity	GGRW LN Equity
Identifier		IE00B8GKDB10	IE00BZ56RN96
Country of domicile		IE	IE
Trading currency		USD	USD
Securities lending		Y	N
Replication strategy		Optimized	Full
TER / OCF ¹		0.29%	0.38%
# Securities		2,150	556
Fund AUM (millions)		6,264	1,700
Net performance			
1 year	Return	9.72%	3.19%
	Tracking difference	0.14%	-0.23%
3 years	Annualised return	6.82%	5.08%
	Tracking difference	0.09%	-0.16%
Since inception*	Annualised return	7.95%	11.37%
	Tracking difference	0.05%	-0.24%
Gross performance			
1 year	Return	10.01%	3.57%
	Tracking difference	0.43%	0.15%
3 years	Annualised return	7.11%	5.46%
	Tracking difference	0.38%	0.22%
Since inception*	Annualised return	8.24%	11.75%
	Tracking difference	0.34%	0.14%

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 Source: Bloomberg. Data from 08 November 2016 to 31 March 2025. *Inception based on oldest available date of WisdomTree Global Quality Dividend Growth UCITS ETF (Dis). Returns are calculated on a NAV to NAV basis. Returns are calculated in USD net of fees, gross of tax, with income reinvested. Tracking calculated as the difference between the product and its benchmark annualised return figures.
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Performance comparison

3-Year Annualised return and volatility



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Appendix

Performance summary (net of expenses)

	01 Apr 2015 - 31 Mar 2016	01 Apr 2016 - 31 Mar 2017	01 Apr 2017 - 31 Mar 2018	01 Apr 2018 - 31 Mar 2019	01 Apr 2019 - 31 Mar 2020	01 Apr 2020 - 31 Mar 2021	01 Apr 2021 - 31 Mar 2022	01 Apr 2022 - 31 Mar 2023	01 Apr 2023 - 31 Mar 2024	01 Apr 2024 - 31 Mar 2025
Vanguard FTSE All-World High Dividend Yield UCITS ETF	-3.95%	14.05%	10.05%	-0.35%	-18.66%	47.20%	8.87%	-4.24%	15.87%	9.72%
FTSE All-World High Dividend Yield Index	-3.99%	13.95%	10.05%	-0.42%	-18.68%	47.14%	8.88%	-4.28%	15.88%	9.49%
Xtrackers STOXX Global Select Dividend 100 Swap UCITS ETF	-1.45%	10.54%	8.32%	1.12%	-22.60%	53.48%	5.65%	-8.01%	8.94%	14.00%
STOXX Global Select Dividend 100 Index	-1.15%	10.78%	8.32%	1.42%	-22.50%	53.77%	5.81%	-8.51%	8.88%	13.81%
SPDR S&P Global Dividend Aristocrats UCITS ETF	-3.39%	9.93%	10.13%	0.80%	-24.51%	47.02%	7.43%	-10.04%	8.22%	11.74%
S&P Global Dividend Aristocrats Quality Income Index	1.37%	9.70%	7.75%	3.62%	-26.58%	46.92%	7.57%	-10.01%	8.18%	11.45%



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WisdomTree Global Quality Dividend Growth UCITS ETF (Dis)	N/a	N/a	16.14%	5.91%	-4.56%	46.83%	10.93%	-4.65%	17.84%	3.19%
WisdomTree Global Developed Quality Dividend Growth TR Index	N/a	12.89%	16.61%	6.15%	-4.49%	47.30%	11.26%	-4.60%	18.08%	3.39%



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Benchmarks and Indices used

Valuations of regions and global industries refer the following indices:

Brazil = FTSE Brazil Index, South Africa = FTSE South Africa Index, China = FTSE China Index, UK = FTSE UK Index, EM = FTSE All-World Emerging Index, DM value = MSCI World Index Value Index, Europe ex UK = FTSE All-World Developed Europe x UK Index, DM APac ex Japan = FTSE All-World Developed Asia Pacific x JP Index, Japan = FTSE Japan Index, Australia = FTSE Australia Index, S Korea = FTSE Korea Index, DM small cap = MSCI World Index Small Cap Index, Global all cap = FTSE Global All Cap Index, Global = FTSE All-World Index, DM = FTSE All-World Developed Index, Taiwan = FTSE Taiwan Index, US = S&P 500 Index, India = FTSE India Index, DM Growth = MSCI World Index Growth Index, US technology = NASDAQ-100 Index.

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Gross, net and price returns are based on the following indices in local currency:

World Small Cap = MSCI World Small Cap Index, Emerging Markets = MSCI EM Index, US = MSCI USA Index, World Growth = MSCI World Growth Index, World = MSCI World

Benchmarks and Indices used

Price, dividend (reinvestment) return and total returns are in local currency and refer to the following indices:

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